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### **CITATION AND NOTIFICATION OF PENALTY**

We believe that you violated the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C. § 2131 et seq.) (AWA), as described below.

#### **Date of Violation: On or before March 13, 2013**

**9 C.F.R. § 2.40(b)(2)** Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors). Each dealer or exhibitor shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries, and the availability of emergency, weekend, and holiday care.

You failed to provide adequate veterinary care for 1 female miniature Bulldog you were leasing, named Ebony. Ebony was in poor health, and you failed to obtain adequate veterinary care before returning the dog to her owner.

#### **Date of Violation: April 29, 2013**

**9 C.F.R. § 2.75(a)(1)** Each dealer, other than operators of auction sales and brokers to whom animals are consigned, and each exhibitor shall make, keep, and maintain records or forms which fully and correctly disclose the following information concerning each dog or cat purchased or otherwise acquired, owned, held, or otherwise in his or her possession or under his or her control, or which is transported, euthanized, sold, or otherwise disposed of by that dealer or exhibitor. The records shall include any offspring born of any animal while in his or her possession or under his or her control.

You failed to make accurate records for 6 dogs. Their record of disposition did not include the dates of birth, approximate age, color or any distinctive markings for the dogs.

#### **Date of Violation: September 16, 2013**

**9 C.F.R. § 2.40(b)(2)** Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors). Each dealer or exhibitor shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries, and the availability of emergency, weekend, and holiday care.

You failed to provide adequate veterinary care for the following



animals:

- 1) 1 female Yorkshire terrier (101 287 586) that had swelling on the left side of its face;
- 2) 1 male, blue and white Chihuahua that had long toenails on the front and rear feet; and
- 3) 1 brown and white Chihuahua that had long toenails on the front and rear feet.

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You failed to discard expired medications that were intermingled with other medications in the pharmacy in the whelping building.

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**9 C.F.R. § 2.50(a)** A class "A" dealer (breeder) shall identify all live dogs and cats on the premises.

You failed to properly identify 1 Yorksire terrier who was located in the north side of the whelping building; 1 Pomeranian who was located on the east side of the gray building; and numerous weaned puppies that were located in an enclosure in the pharmacy area of the whelping building.

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You failed to make and keep adequate records for all dogs on hand. Some of your records did not include the source from which the animals were acquired, identification numbers, acquisition dates and/or descriptions.

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**9 C.F.R. § 3.1(b)** Housing facilities, general. Condition and site. Housing facilities and areas used for storing animal food or bedding must be free of any



accumulation of trash, waste material, junk, weeds, and other discarded materials. Animal areas inside of housing facilities must be kept neat and free of clutter, including equipment, furniture, and stored material, but may contain materials actually used and necessary for cleaning the area, fixtures or equipment necessary for proper husbandry practices and research needs.

You failed to remove 2 large boxes holding dog food and a rolled up carpet from the top of an enclosure holding one Yorkshire terrier in the isolation room inside of the whelping building.

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**9 C.F.R. § 3.1(e)** Housing facilities, general. Storage. Supplies of food and bedding must be stored in a manner that protects the supplies from spoilage, contamination, and vermin infestation. The supplies must be stored off the floor and away from the walls, to allow cleaning underneath and around the supplies. All open supplies of food and bedding must be kept in leakproof containers with tightly fitting lids to prevent contamination and spoilage. Substances that are toxic to the dogs but are required for normal husbandry practices must not be stored in food storage and preparation areas, but may be stored in cabinets in the animal areas.

You had open supplies of dry dog food that did not have tightly fitting lids. You also had a bottle of bleach formula and a bottle of dish detergent sitting on top of an enclosure housing 1 dog in the whelping building.

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**9 C.F.R. § 3.6(a)(2)(i)** Primary enclosures. General requirements. Primary enclosures must be constructed and maintained so that they have no sharp points or edges that could injure the dogs and cats.

You failed to maintain enclosures so that they had no sharp points that could injure the dogs. APHIS observed enclosures that had broken, sharp, protruding, wires, and an enclosure with a long rebarb rod with sharp edges being used to keep the dog door open.

The penalty for the alleged violation(s) described above is \$2,571.